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 ACCESSION NUMBER: 2006:558005 BIOSIS  
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 TITLE: Sperm chromosome aneuploidy and gonadotrophin treatment.  
 AUTHOR(S): De Leo, V. [Reprint Author]; La Marca, A.; Piomboni, P.; Morgante, G.; Pitaro, M.; Fratoni, A.; Collodel, G.; Petraglia, F.  
 CORPORATE SOURCE: Univ Siena, Policlin Scotte, Dept Ob Gyn, I-53100 Siena, Italy  
 SOURCE: Human Reproduction (Oxford), (JUN 2006) Vol. 21, No. Suppl. 1, pp. I212.  
 Meeting Info.: 22nd Annual Meeting of the European-Society-of-Human-Reproduction-and-Embryology. Prague, CZECH REPUBLIC. June 18 -21, 2006. European Soc Human Reproduct & Embryol.  
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L6 ANSWER 2 OF 5 CAPLUS COPYRIGHT 2009 ACS on STN  
 ACCESSION NUMBER: 2005:122884 CAPLUS  
 DOCUMENT NUMBER: 142:170428  
 TITLE: Use of follicle stimulating hormone for reduction of spermatozoa chromosomal aberration in males  
 INVENTOR(S): De Leo, Vincenzo; La Marca, Antonio  
 PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Laboratoires Serono S.A., Switz.  
 SOURCE: PCT Int. Appl., 32 pp.  
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AB The present invention relates to the use of a substance having a FSH activity for reducing gamete chromosomal alterations in a male, more specifically in men suffering from spermatozoa aneuploidy.  
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ACCESSION NUMBER: 2005419792 MEDLINE  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: PubMed ID: 16084881  
TITLE: Comparison of a gonadotropin-releasing hormone (GnRH) antagonist and GnRH agonist flare-up regimen in poor responders undergoing ovarian stimulation.  
AUTHOR: Malmusi Stefania; La Marca Antonio; Giulini Simone; Xella Susanna; Tagliasacchi Daniela; Marsella Tiziana; Volpe Annibale  
CORPORATE SOURCE: Institute of Obstetrics and Gynecology, Policlinico of Modena, Modena University, Modena, Italy..  
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Fertility and sterility, (2005 Aug) Vol. 84, No. 2, pp. 402-6.  
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AB OBJECTIVE: To compare the efficacy of flare-up and GnRH-antagonist treatment in poor-responder patients. DESIGN: Randomized prospective study. SETTING: Assisted reproduction center. PATIENT(S): Fifty-five poor-responder patients undergoing intracytoplasmic sperm injection (ICSI). INTERVENTION(S): Thirty patients received GnRH agonist on the 1st day of menstruation, followed by exogenous gonadotropins from the 2nd day. Twenty-five patients received exogenous gonadotropins starting on the second day of menstruation, followed by GnRH antagonist when the leading follicle reached 14 mm in diameter. MAIN OUTCOME MEASURE(S): The total dose of FSH administered during the ovarian stimulation, as well as the number of mature oocytes retrieved, embryo quality, fertilization, implantation, and pregnancy rates were evaluated. RESULT(S): The number of ampules and units of FSH administered were significantly less in the flare-up than in the antagonistic group. The numbers of mature oocytes retrieved and of top-quality embryos transferred were significantly greater in the flare-up than in the GnRH-antagonist group. The fertilization rate (84% vs. 63%) was significantly higher in the flare-up than in the GnRH-antagonist group. The implantation and pregnancy rate were similar in the two groups. CONCLUSION(S): The flare-up protocol appears to be more effective than the GnRH-antagonist protocol in terms of mature oocytes retrieved, fertilization rate, and top-quality embryos transferred in poor-responder patients.

L6 ANSWER 4 OF 5 MEDLINE on STN  
ACCESSION NUMBER: 2005685389 MEDLINE  
DOCUMENT NUMBER: PubMed ID: 16373249  
TITLE: Does plasma insulin level affect ovarian response to exogenous administration of follicle-stimulating hormone in women without polycystic ovary syndrome?.

AUTHOR: La Marca Antonio; Pati Mariangela; Giulini  
 Simone; Levratti Paola; Caretto Simona; Volpe Annibale  
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 SOURCE: Gynecological endocrinology : the official journal of the  
 International Society of Gynecological Endocrinology, (2005  
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AB BACKGROUND: Raised insulin levels have been shown to contribute to ovarian  
 overproduction of androgens. Hyperinsulinemia, usually associated with  
 polycystic ovary syndrome (PCOS), brings about greater ovarian endocrine  
 and morphological responses to ovulation induced by follicle-stimulating  
 hormone (FSH). This indicates that elevated levels of insulin  
 play a role in the endocrine and paracrine control of the ovaries.  
 OBJECTIVE: The aim of the present study was to investigate whether basal  
 insulin levels influence ovarian response to FSH in healthy  
 women (non-PCOS) undergoing assisted reproduction by in vitro  
 fertilization-embryo transfer (IVF-ET). METHODS: The study included 36  
 consecutive women, 27-45 years old, undergoing IVF-ET for tubal-factor or  
 male-factor infertility. Serum insulin levels were determined on the day  
 of administration of gonadotropin-releasing hormone analog (GnRHa) and on  
 the first day of FSH administration. RESULTS: Mean insulin  
 levels were 6 +/- 3 and 7 +/- 3 microU/ml on the day of GnRHa and  
 FSH administration, respectively. No correlations were found  
 between basal insulin level, days of treatment, total FSH dose,  
 estradiol level and the number of oocytes retrieved. CONCLUSIONS: The  
 results of the present study show that normal levels of insulin do not  
 seem to influence ovarian response to FSH in non-PCOS women. In  
 all patients included in our study, serum insulin levels did not correlate  
 with IVF stimulation data (days of stimulation, total FSH dose)  
 nor with IVF-ET outcome. Thus the study demonstrates that, in patients  
 who are not insulin-resistant, insulin does not correlate with ovarian  
 response to FSH administration.

L6 ANSWER 5 OF 5 MEDLINE on STN DUPLICATE 2  
 ACCESSION NUMBER: 2002629221 MEDLINE  
 DOCUMENT NUMBER: PubMed ID: 12351547  
 TITLE: Insulin-dependent diabetes in men is associated with  
 hypothalamo-pituitary derangement and with impairment in  
 semen quality.  
 AUTHOR: Baccetti Baccio; La Marca Antonio; Piomboni  
 Paola; Capitani Serena; Bruni Emanuele; Petraglia Felice;  
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 CORPORATE SOURCE: Department of Pediatrics, Obstetrics and Reproductive  
 Medicine, University of Siena, Italy.  
 SOURCE: Human reproduction (Oxford, England), (2002 Oct) Vol. 17,  
 No. 10, pp. 2673-7.  
 Journal code: 8701199. ISSN: 0268-1161.  
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AB BACKGROUND: The objective of the study was to investigate the hypothalamo-pituitary-testicular axis and sperm structure at the transmission electron microscope (TEM) level in men affected by insulin-dependent diabetes. METHODS: Twenty-two diabetic men and 24 controls were recruited. GnRH (100 micro g) was administered and FSH- and LH-induced secretion was evaluated. Semen samples were collected and sperm concentration and motility were determined using a Makler chamber. Ejaculated sperm were fixed and observed with a TEM. RESULTS: The response of gonadotrophins to GnRH was significantly lower in diabetics than in control men. Sperm motility was also significantly lower. At the electron microscope level, sperm from diabetics exhibited a higher percentage of immaturity- and apoptosis-related defects than sperm from controls. CONCLUSIONS: The reduced response of gonadotrophins to GnRH in diabetic men may indicate a decreased acute releasable pool of pituitary gonadotrophins. The results of TEM examination showed that sperm from men with diabetes presented severe structural defects in comparison with sperm from controls. It is possible that the reproductive impairment recognized in men with diabetes could be the result of interference by the disease on the hypothalamo-pituitary-testicular axis at multiple levels, as indicated by the reduced gonadotrophin response to appropriate stimuli and by the abnormal ultrastructure of ejaculated sperm. The defective spermatogenesis may be the consequence of a direct testicular effect of the disease.

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